UDOT warns travelers of 25 hot spots for summer construction

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SALT LAKE CITY - For the Utah Department of Transportation, Summer means construction projects. And UDOT has released its 25 major projects for this year for a heads-up to commuters and Utah travelers. UDOT officials say that the more drivers know what going on and where, the more traffic congestion will be lessened this season. UDOT warns that drivers will be seeing cones for the next three years and released an interactive map to make it easier to plan ahead before driving.

"We really want people to understand what's going on, what construction projects are taking place, when a construction activity taking place and if at all possible try to avoid those construction zones during the peak travel times," says UDOT deputy director, Carlos Braceras.

Drivers can also text the word: UDOT to 834043 for weekly mobile updates.

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